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STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW

This will confirm the interview held with the Examiner on October 29, 2003 during which the undersigned authorized the Examiner to amend the specification of the present application as stated by the Examiner on page 2 of the Notice of Allowability.

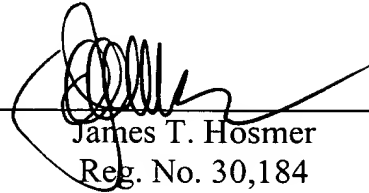
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